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1. PENG Chen [彭真]

a. Executive officer to LIN Piao at the Communist Headquarters in Manchuria.

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Newspaper b. At the conference which set up the Provisional Supreme Administration for
Manchuria in August, PENG was the delegate of the General Headquarters of the
Democratic Combined Army and of the Communist Central Bureau in the Northeast.

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Note: Previously reported as Chairman of the Political Committee for the
Democratic Combined Army; as head of the Organization Department of the Northeastern
Political Bureau; and as a member of the Communist Central Executive Committee.)

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Note: See Chinese Communist "Who's Who" under the names PEN Chun and
PENG Cheng.

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2. WU Hsiu-te 武修德

Chief of Staff of the Democratic Combined Army

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Note: Previously reported as WU Hsiu-chuan 伍修權

3. MA Chi [馬麟]

Commander, 9 Division, 22 Brigade. [??]

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Note: Previously identified as Commander of the 2 Regiment of 18 Military
Sector; Commander of the 9 Brigade of 2 Military Area; and Commander of the 2 Mil-
itary Area [REDACTED] Also see Chinese Communist "Who's Who".)

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a. Chairman of the Northeastern Political Bureau.

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Newspaper b. One of the committee which made arrangements for the conference that set up the Provisional Supreme Administration in August 1946.

Source: Shansi-Chahar-Hopei Daily News of 19 August 1946

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Note: Previously identified as Political Commissioner of the Kirin-Liaoning Military Area and also as a Commissioner of the Northeastern Political Bureau.)

8. HSIEN Yu-chin

Newspaper a. The President of the Sino-Soviet Friendship Association. He was present at the conference which set up the Provisional Supreme Administration.

Source: Shansi-Chahar-Hopei Daily News of 19 August 1946

- b. At the time of the Manchukuo incident, HSIEN was a member of the Consultative Council to the Governor of Kirin. He is said to have been arrested by the Japanese, later released, and appointed chief of a district. During the following years he held several similar positions, and in 1943 or 1944 he was appointed Chief of the Administrative Department of the Pinchiang Provincial Government, a post which he was holding when the Soviets entered Harbin. He was designated Acting Governor of Pinchiang by the Red [Soviet] Army Headquarters. HSIEN attributes his non-arrest through all these regimes by saying that while he collaborated with the Japanese, he always tried to protect the interests of the Chinese population.
- c. LI Chao-lin, an old Chinese Communist worker who spoke fluent Russian and had recently arrived from the USSR, was appointed HSIEN's Deputy Governor. LI organized the Sino-Soviet Friendship Cooperation Society with himself as chairman and HSIEN as vice-chairman. Some months later LI was assassinated and HSIEN took over the leadership of the Association.
- d. At present, the Society owns a bookstore, movie house, a school, and a workshop.

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6. Commanders of the Liaoning-Kirin Military Area

25X1A Commander: MA Jen-hsing 馬仁興. [REDACTED] Note: MA Jen-hsi in Chinese Communist "Who's Who"?)

25X1A Deputy Commander: WAN Yi 萬毅. [REDACTED] Note: [REDACTED] as Commander of the 2 Division. Also see Chinese Communist "Who's Who".)

Deputy Commander: CHEN Kuang 陳光. [REDACTED] Note: See Chinese Communist "Who's Who".)

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